

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 56th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN MATT BRAINARD**, on March 5, 1999 at 8:00 A.M., in Room 420 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Matt Brainard, Chairman (R)
Rep. Toni Hagener, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Allan Walters, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Darrel Adams (R)
Rep. Joan Andersen (R)
Rep. Edith Clark (R)
Rep. Tom Dell (D)
Rep. George Golie (D)
Rep. Donald L. Hedges (R)
Rep. Monica Lindeen (D)
Rep. Jeff Mangan (D)
Rep. Douglas Mood (R)
Rep. Brennan Ryan (D)
Rep. Frank Smith (D)
Rep. Bill Tash (R)
Rep. Bill Thomas (R)
Rep. Doug Wagner (R)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Sheri Heffelfinger, Legislative Branch
Karen Mills, Committee Secretary

Please Note: These are summary minutes. Testimony and discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing(s): SB 295, 314, 317, 325, 4/3/1999
Executive Action: SB 314, 325, 317
Posted: SB 295, 317, 325-- 2/19/99
SB 314-- 2/20/99

HEARING ON SB 295

Opening Statement by Sponsor: SEN. STEVE DOHERTY
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 0.2 - 1.8}

Proponents' Testimony:

TIM SHANK, Mt. Police Protective Assoc. **EXHIBIT**(sth50a01)
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 2.2 - 3.6}

PAT CLINCH, Mt, State Counsel of Firefighters
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 4.1 - 4.6}

TOM BILODEAU, MEA/MFT
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 5.7 - 5.9}

BOB ANDERSON, Mt. Sheriff's Assoc.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 5.7 - 5.9}

JIM OBERHOFEN, Ret. Chief of Police, Missoula
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 5.9 - 7}

MIKE O'CONNOR, PERS
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 7.2 - 7.8}

TROY MCGEE, Chief of Police, Helena
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 8.1 - 8.4}

JEFF BRYSON, Retired Helena Policeman
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 8.4 - 9.2}

KEVIN CLADER, Retired Policeman, Missoula
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 9.3 - 9.6}

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

REPS; WALTERS, MOOD, BRAINARD AND MOOD
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 9.9 - 15.7}

Closing by Sponsor: REP. STEVE DOHERTY
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 15.8 - 17.1}

HEARING ON SB 314

Opening Statement by Sponsor: SEN. WAYNE GRIMES
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 19.4 - 20.8}

Proponents' Testimony:

JOHN ARRIGO, DEQ Chairman of Quality Enforcement Div.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 20.9 - 27.6}

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

REPS; TASH, WAGNER, HEDGES, MOOD, WAGNER, ADAMS, TASH, ANDERSEN,
MANGAN, THOMAS, BRAINARD AND WAGNER.

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Closing by Sponsor: SEN. DUANE GRIMES

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 19.7 - 21.2}

HEARING ON SB 317

Opening Statement by Sponsor: SEN. TOM BECK

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 21.6 - 23.1}

Proponents' Testimony:

KEITH COLBO, Chief Ex. Mt. Ind. Bankers.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 23.2 - 24.1}

JIM MOCHIZUKI, Federal Home Loan Bank of Seattle

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 24.2 - 30.1}

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

REPS; SMITH, BRAINARD, HEDGES AND HAGENER

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 0.1 - 12.1}

Closing by Sponsor: SEN. TOM BECK

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 12.3 - 12.8}

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 314

Motion: REP. MANGAN moved DO CONCUR on SB 314.

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 13.5 - 13.6}

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

REPS; TASH, HEDGES, WAGNER, BRAINARD, TASH, BRAINARD, THOMAS,
WAGNER, TASH, GOLIE, MANGAN, HAGENER, MOOD HEDGES AND DELL.

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 13.7 - 23.9}

Vote: The motion carried 13-4; REPS; ANDERSEN, WAGNER, GOLIE
ADAMS voting no.

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 24.9 - 25.1}

REP. TASH WILL CARRY SB 314 TO THE HOUSE FLOOR.

HEARING ON SB 325

Opening Statement by Sponsor: SEN. JOHN HERTEL

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 25.2 - 28.9}

Proponents' Testimony:

LINDA BRANNON, Mt. Assoc. of School Officials

{Tape : 2; Side : A; Approx. Time Counter : 29.1 - 30.1}

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

REPS; HEDGES, ANDERSEN, ADAMS, HAGENER AND BRAINARD

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 2.5 - 10.5}

Closing by Sponsor: SEN. JOHN HERTEL

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 10.5 - 12.2}

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 317

Motion: REP. HEDGES moved DO CONCUR on SB 317.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 13 - 13.1}

Discussion:

REPS; HAGENER, ADAMS, WALTERS, TASH, ADAMS, HEDGES, ANDERSEN,
WALTERS AND SMITH.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 13.1 - 18}

Vote: The motion carried 15-2; REPS; ADAMS AND HAGENER VOTING
NO.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 18 - 19.2}

REP. WALTERS WILL CARRY SB 317 TO THE HOUSE FLOOR.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 325

Motion: REP. HAGENER moved DO CONCUR on SB 325.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 20.1 - 20.2}

Discussion:

REPS; GOLIE, WAGNER, BRAINARD,

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 20.2 - 22}

Motion: REP. WALTERS moved SB 325 be conceptually amended as per SB032501.ash.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 22.1 - 22.3}

Discussion:

REPS; BRAINARD, TASH, WAGNER, MANGAN, BRAINARD.

Motion: REP. MANGAN moved DO CONCUR SB 325 as amended.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 22.3 - 23.4}

Vote: The motion carried 17-0; unanimous.

{Tape : 2; Side : B; Approx. Time Counter : 23.5 - 23.7}

REP. GOLIE WILL CARRY SB 325 TO THE HOUSE FLOOR.

EXHIBIT(sth50a02)

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 10:03 A.M.

REP. MATT BRAINARD, Chairman

KAREN MILLS, Secretary

MB/KM

EXHIBIT (sth50aad)